Republic of Texas
Washington County } To all whom it may
concern: Know ye that I, Mary R. wife of Anthony
Butler of the Republic and County aforesaid, reposing
confidence in the integrity of Daniel C. Dyer of the
Republic and County aforesaid, do appoint him my
true and lawful attorney in fact, with full power to
collect, receive and receipt to the proper officer of
Government, for the rent due me on the building
occupied by the Clerk of the Supreme Court in the
Town of Washington — And to do and perform
all things requisite in the premises — Hereby
ratifying and confirming all the lawful acts of
my said attorney — Done at Washington
this 20th day of September A.D. 1845 in
presence of Willet. Fitches and Samuel Rowe
subscribing witnesses

Mary R. Butler

Wm Alves
James M. Holmes